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FOR IO/AGR PAUL BYRNES FROM WOLF

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN EAGR OCON IFAD

SUBJ: 10TH FAO REGIONAL CONFERENCE: FRG VIEWS ON IFAD

1. GRABISCH (FOOD AND AGRICULTURE MINISTRY, FRG) ASKED ME MONDAY EVENING FOR US THOUGHTS ON OFFICERS FOR IFAD PROGRAM. HIS DEPUTY LEAVES MONDAY FOR BUCHAREST TO JOIN FRG DELEGATION AT PREPCON.

2. GRABISCH UNDERSTOOD AND EXPECTED US INTEREST IN VICE CHAIRMANSHIP. HE WAS HOWEVER ADAMANTLY OPPOSED TO ANY CONSIDERATION OF AZIZ FOR EXECUTIVE SECRETARY. I EXPLAINED SUBSTANCE OF DEPARTMENT'S FRIDAY TELEGRAM TO CATEGORY I COUNTRIES RE SECRETARIAT AND STAFF INCLUDING USING PRECISE LANGUAGE AND FINAL PARAGRAPH RE AZIZ. HE CONCURRED WITH NEED FOR STRONG SUPERVISORY GROUP TO MAINTAIN COMMISSION CONTROL OVER SECRETARIAT, BUT HE REPEATED THAT EXECUTIVE SECRETARY MUST BE SOMEONE WHO CAN BE TRUSTED (AND AZIZ IS NOT THAT PERSON). HE ALSO HINTED AT FRG INTEREST IN EXSEC JOB (NO NAMES MENTIONED).

3. GRABISCH PLANNING TO MEET WITH OTHER EC-9 DELEGATES AS EARLY AS TUESDAY AFTERNOON TO DISCUSS NEED FOR BETTER COMMISSION CONTROL OF SECRETARIAT AND POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVE CANDIDATES FOR EXECUTIVE SECRETARY. HE WILL KEEP LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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US INFORMED OF THEIR DISCUSSIONS.

4. PENDING GUIDANCE, SHOULD I RECEIVE FURTHER QUESTIONS,  
I WILL CONTINUE TO STICK CLOSELY TO LINE USED IN FRIDAY  
CABLE (WHICH WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE REPEATED HERE).

5. DR. PHILLIPS HAS SEEN AND CONCURRED.  
BARNES

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